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Dear Mr. Zaid:

This is a final response to your 18 October 2007 Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request and subsequent litigation for "copies of all internal Central Intelligence Agency ('CIA') documents pertaining to discussions concerning the decision to initiate an internal review of the operations of the CIA's Inspector General ('IG'), John Helgerson, and of the IG's Office as a whole."

We processed your request in accordance with the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended, and the CIA Information Act, 50 U.S.C. § 431, as amended. Our processing included a search for records as described in our 5 November 2007 acceptance letter existing through the date of that letter.

We did not locate any records responsive to your request.

The CIA regulations governing administrative appeals are set forth at 32 C.F.R. sect. 1900.42. Those regulations state that no appeal shall be accepted if the information in question is the subject of pending litigation in the federal courts. Therefore, as a result of James Madison Project v. CIA, Case No. 1:08-cv-00708, currently pending in the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia, and this letter, the Agency has completed the administrative processing of your FOIA request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive ink that reads "Delores M. Nelson".

Delores M. Nelson
Information and Privacy Coordinator

